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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s):	Campbell, et al.	}	Attorney Docket No. 17151-0001
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Title:	ORGANIC WASTE	}	Art Unit: 1797
	TREATMENT APPARATUS	}	
		}	Examiner: Michael L. Hobbs
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Serial No.:	10/529,855	}	Confirmation No. 5343
		}	
Filed:	March 25, 2005	}	

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action having a mailing date of November 23, 2009, and a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on February 23, 2010, which has been extended to expire on May 23, 2010, by the enclosed Petition for Extension of Time and Payment of Fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17, Applicants submit herewith the following Amendment and Response:

Amendments to Abstract begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 17 of this paper.